

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK  
JIMMEY EKPE,

Plaintiff,

-against-

THE CITY OF NEW YORK, THE  
DEPARTMENT FOR THE AGING, CARYN  
RESNICK, SAL RULLAN, KAMLESH  
PATEL, JACK RIZZO, JOHN DOE(S) and  
JANE DOE(S)(names currently unknown) each  
in his/her official and individual capacities,

Defendants.

ANALISA TORRES, District Judge:

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**ORDER**

The Court is in receipt of Plaintiff's letters dated May 28, June 4, and June 8, 2021. ECF Nos. 33–35. With respect to Plaintiff's request for clarification, the Court finds that clarification is unnecessary: Federal Rule of Civil Procedure 15 is clear that a party may amend its pleading as a matter of course within 21 days after service a motion under Rule 12(b). *See* Fed. R. Civ. P. 15(a)(1)(B).

By **June 16, 2021**, Plaintiff shall respond to the pending motion to dismiss. By **July 2, 2021**, Defendants shall file their reply, if any. By this same date, Plaintiff shall file a letter requesting leave to move to join additional parties. Additionally, Plaintiff is reminded that at the initial pretrial conference held on May 10, 2021, the Court directed Plaintiff to file any motion for consolidation within two weeks. Plaintiff has failed to do so.

The Clerk of Court is directed to terminate the motions at ECF Nos. 34 and 35.

SO ORDERED.

Dated: June 9, 2021  
New York, New York



ANALISA TORRES  
United States District Judge